

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

APPLICANT: Angelique M. Brignac, et al.

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EXAMINER: Swinehart, Edwin L.

FOR: Rescue Boat

ATTORNEY DOCKET NO. A02204US (98238.7)

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RESPONSE

MAIL STOP AMENDMENT

Commissioner for Patents

P.O. Box 1450

Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

This is a response to the Office Action dated June 14, 2006. A shortened statutory period was set to expire three months from the date of the Office Action, making a response due by September 14, 2006. Applicant hereby petitions the Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks to extend the time for response for one month from September 14, 2006 to October 14, 2006, a Saturday, and thus, to October 16, 2006. Please charge the \$120 fee to Deposit Account No. 50-0694.

AMENDMENT

Please amend the application as follows: